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Decision on Petition

In re Application of Smith :
Application No. 10/603,798 :
Filing Date: June 24, 2003 :
For: NON-LINEAR ADAPTIVE AM/AM AND :
AM/PM PRE-DISTORTION :
COMPENSATION WITH TIME AND :
TEMPERATURE COMPENSATION FOR :
LOW POWER APPLICATIONS :

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.181, filed February 2, 2007, to withdraw the holding of abandonment.

The petition is **granted**.

A request to change the address of record was filed by the inventor on September 15, 2005.

Due to clerical error by the PTO, the address of record was not changed.

A Notice of Allowance and Notice of Allowability were mailed to the incorrect address on September 6, 2006. Petitioner states neither Notice was received.

A Supplemental Notice of Allowability was mailed to the incorrect address on October 25, 2006, and was not received by petitioner.

On a date after October 25, 2006, but before November 20, 2006, petitioner's correct address was entered into Office computer records.

A new copy of the Supplemental Notice of Allowability was mailed to petitioner's correct address on November 20, 2006.

A Notice of Abandonment was mailed January 8, 2007, based on petitioner's failure to timely pay the issue fee in response to the Notice of Allowance mailed September 6, 2006.

Petitioner has demonstrated PTO error resulted in petitioner failing to receive the Notice of Allowance or Notice of Allowability mailed September 6, 2006. Therefore, the Notice of Abandonment is hereby vacated and the holding of abandonment withdrawn.

Technology Center Art Unit 2611 will be informed of the instant decision. Thereafter, the Technology Center will prepare and mail a new Notice of Allowance and a new Notice of Allowability. The time period for responding to the new Notices will be set to run from the mailing date of the new Notices.

Telephone inquiries regarding this communication should be directed to Petitions Attorney Steven Brantley at (571) 272-3203.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. Brantley', is positioned above the printed name.

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